Cheman F conty-Stephen T. Arndt, J. J. O'Connor, and at Spenker McGings.

Manusconery, County-C. B. Freeman, Martin Schenck,

to Grant for Stated Reasons.

this city met yesterday in the rooms of the Independent Republican Association, at 8 Union

square, and prepared the following address:

The undersigned, American citizens of Ger-

man descent, adherents of the Republican party, would consider the nomination of Gen. Grant

The Executive Committee of the Anti-

Princes Read District-Win. H. Bowman,

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Is learly, and J. H. Howe.
Vice County-C. Van Allen, W. M. Kingsbury, and

-Pirst District-Michael McGialey,

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TEST IN THIS CITY AND STATE. A Rumor of a Third Convention at Syracuse and a Bolt in the Kings County Delegation and of the Regular Democracy John Kills's New Move-Electing a Contesting Delegation to the Regular Democratic Convention.

STRACUSE, April 17 .- Already the advance guards of the Democratic State Conventions have arrived in Syracuse. The Hon, Hubert-D. Thompson and a delegation from the Irving Ball Democracy put in an appearance at the Vanderbilt House this excuing, and the Hon. Jerome B. Parmenter of Troy arrived at the Globe, Mr. Thompson has obtained quarters at the Vanderbitt for the Irving Hall delsgation. The headquarters of the State Dommittee are at the Glober, John Kelly and the Pammany Hall delegation have their headnunriers at the Remington House, a temperance hotel. The anti-Tilden faction which will par-Respace in the deliberations of the regular Con-rention will but up at the Empire House. oth factions of the party seem to be con-Adent of controlling the regular Convenseem to have greater confidence than their opponents. They claim that a large sumber of delegates who have been elected as Filden men will go against him should they be sonvinced that his nomination would endanger the success of the party. Leading anti-Til-

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Short Parisate Council and delegates from Montpeliur to the State Convention, to be held next Thursday. The delegates are uninstructed save to vate as a unit, but the caucus apopted a resolution riging the simpler unit of all honorable means to secure the State delegation for Osu, Maccock.

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Commission Control of the Control of A BUJET TRANSFORMATION OF SCENES The following delegates have been chosen to John Kelly's Convention; IN HER MAJESTY'S OPERA.

From the Academy Singe to the Steamship's Decks with no Time to Spare-The Throngs and Enthusiasm at the Final Performance. The besieging force was composed of laties, most of them young and attractive. The sidewalk before the Academy, from the main entrance to the stage door, was made impassable and Purroy and his friends got off unburt. On by the thronging ladies pressing toward the bex office to obtain seats for the farewell mati- | about 9 o'clock on Friday night Purroy, accomnée of her Majesty's Opera Company. Such a panied by Hennessy and Hugh O'Reilly, went erush of silks, actina, and velvets was possibly never before seen in a street in this city, even in the favored vicinity of the Academy. The eager la lies gave no place on the sidewalk to the speculator in tickets, and these ordinarily self-possessed venders stood in an abastical line as near the curb as they dared approach. They Opposed to the Third Term on Principle, and sold few of their tickets, the ladies, as a rule, looking upon their vending with suspicious Third-Term Republicans who compose the In-dependent Republican German Organization of

oves, and preferring to await an opportunity to reach the box office.

The artists and the chorus won their way slowly through the pleasant entanglement of the mass of ladies before the stage door. After their escape, however, they found only a narrow way, environed by two high walls of queershaped trunks, valises, and boxes, containing stage properties, from the door to the wings of the stage. The stage looked bare, for it was set only with the scenes of "Les Huguenots," all the other scenery belonging to Her Majesty's Company having been securely packed away. There was unusual joviality behind the scenes

PURROT'S FIGHT. The Accused Tammany Politician Admitted

Joseph Purroy, formerly a clerk of the Board of Aldermen, a brother of ex-Alderman Henry D. Purroy, was arraigned in the Fordham Police Court yesterday morning before Justice Wheeler, in company with his friend, The Academy of Music was in a state of | John Hennessy, for committing an assault slege yesterday from 11% A. M. to 12% P. M. | upon Wm. H. Magee, a barkeeper in Kerns's saloon, near the Fordham depot, on Friday night. There was a quarrel in the saloon, in which Mages was shot at and severely boaten, the part of the injured man it is averred that into the saloun and got liquor without paying for it. Soon after they ordered more drinks but the backe-per refused to sumply them until paid the previous score. Purroy and his companions became abusive, and Magee and his friends any that Purroy fired two nistol shots at Magee, after which the party of three went behind the bar and gave him a terrible beating with bottles; that they got him down on the floor and kicked him unmereifally. Then they ran out. Purroy and Hennessy were subsequently arrested and confined in the Tremont police station.

Or, The Two Irish Orphin Girls," out to-morrow in the New York Family Many Paper. Continued from sample copy.—Ads.

Manufactured entirely by rollers. The latest invention.

JOLLITY IN CASTLE INN. HOW HET FARMERS AND HUNTERS FRATERNIZED AT A FEAST.

A Lively Fox Hunt on Ladies' Day-The Fox Takes to Water-The Hunters Don't-A Day of Picasure-The Songs and Speeches. Yesterday was full of enjoyment at Castle Inn, the new grounds of the Queens County lunt, in New Bochelle. It was ladies' day, so for as the bunt was concerned, and farmers' day when it came to the dinner. Both events

were the liveliest of the season.

The fox was liberated in the north part of the town, near the villa of Mr. Stephenson, the car builder. When the fox was shaken from the bag he slid to the top of the wall on the south side of the road, and started off in a southeasterly direction toward Portchester. The country was hilly, rocky, scrubby, and in places at the foot of some of the hills boggy, making a course which none but hot-blooded hunters would take with a relish. Among others, the fox and hounds were followed by Messrs. F. Gray Griswold, Herman Oelrichs, Frank T. Iselin, C. Oliver Iselin, C. G. Peters, C. Hitchcock, Dr. Green, and other inverted hunters. The ladies who joined in the hunt were Miss Lucy Work, Miss Emily Iselin, Miss Oelrichs, and Mrs. Morgan. The track which the fox took for the first three miles in his race for life prevented the ladies from following closely, and they swerved off into by lanes and open roads, while the men plunged through thek and thin after the brush.

In the first half of the circuit Mr. Oelrichs lost habit, after leaning a wall and landing in the lower transches of a tree. Mr. Oliver Iselin was self to the company of the men plunged through the circuit Mr. Oelrichs lost habit, after leaning a wall and landing in the lower transches of a tree. Mr. Oliver Iselin was self form his horse by a stout branch, while his new with hat came out of the race looking as if it had been worn through a Donnybrock fair. Mr. Frank Lastin saved his hat. builder. When the fox was shaken from the The country was hilly, recky, scrubby, and is places at the fost of some of the phases at the fost of some of the blook of the phase at the fost of some of the blook of the phase at the fost of some of the blook of the phase at the fost of some of the blook of the phase at the fost of some of the blook of the phase at the fost of some of the blook of the phase at the fost of the blook of the

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Chorus—Henzo, Lorenzo.

Mr. August Belmon!, Jr., gave his inimitable recitation of "Now, Raiser, do you want to buy a dog?" and Mr. W. Sanford told his lee cream story with Roman punch accompaniment.

Mr. J. Gray Griswold believed in sustaining healthy outdoor sport. He nad not missed a hunt in three years, and he hoped he never should while he had the strength to attend one. As for the gentleman who owned a lot in Yonkers, and seemed to be alread that the hunters which cross it, he though any their foxes knew to. much to ran into a village. If they had one Solish enough to do so they would kill it before it could reach the village.

Mr. Alexander Taylor, Jr., the Westchester farmer, freely offered his broad acres to the hunters. He nessed that there would not be a lawn or field in Westchester County unmarked by the springing hooks of the hunters' horses.

Before the supper ended every farmer in the eastle was anxious to have his land ploughed up in the early spring by the Socies of flying hunters. Some said that much of the land was in such a runged keondition that nothing class would make a deat in it, and if the hunters were waiting to risk their lives they would risk the land.

When the feast began there were twenty-five hunters and thirty-five farmers. When the feast ended they were all hunters.

MANY LIVES IMPERILLED.

During the past two months several fires, evidently of incendiary origin, have occurred in Jersey City, but the fire bugs succeeded in sluding the police. All of the fires were in a single block extending along Newark avenue from City Hall place to Hudson street. The first fire was the most destructive, the others being discovered and extinguished before they had caused much damage. A two-story frame building at 57 Newark avenue owned and eccupied by William J. Lynch as a feed and bay store, was completely destroyed on the night of March 27, and the adjoining houses marrowly escaped destruction. The Atlantic and Parific Tea Company occupies the first fleer of a handsome brick building at 52 Newark avenue as a warrowm, and several families live in the upper stories. Late on the night of April 4 Mrs. Genry, one of the tennats, detected a strong smell of smoke in her apariment. She went out on the landing and discovered that the door leading from the main hallway to the tea store was on fire. She gave an alarm and the firmes were put out. Cath. Jordan of the First Precinct police discovered that the door and the floor around it had been saturated with kerosene oil. A detective was detailed to investigate the case, but he did not obtain information sufficiently positive to instify an arrest.

John A. Blease keeps a small eight store at 63 and extinguished before they had caused much

lyn, yesterday aftermon drew \$1.88 from a bank in this city, and started with it in a package to pay off his employees. He was accompanied by James Lavin, who had been in his employer three years, and who had been in his employer drow to Rrowkyn in his day of his confidence. They drow to Rrowkyn in hight wason, and Mr. Shepard, wishing to make this light wason, and Mr. Shepard, wishing to make this news call upon Hissa Williams at Plynomian and Jay streets, alighted from the wagon in front of their office leaving Lavin in the wagon. The package containing the \$1,500 lay in the bottom of the wason. When Mr. Shepard returned in about twenty minutes, Lavin and the package were missing. The wason was in its place. Lavin was seen to go up Adams street with the package. The York street poince were at once informed, and a general alarin containing his description was sent out. Lavin is 45 years old, 5 loct 6 inches tall, and he were a dark localis, and a slouched hat. investigate the case, but he did not obtain information sufficiently positive to justify an arrest.

John A. Blease keeps a small digar store at 63 Newark avenue, and lives in apartments upstairs. As he was about to retire, at 1:15 o'clock on the morning of the 13th inst, he found that the lower part of the staircase was in flames. He procured assistance, and put the fits out. The stairs and bannisters were found to be wet with kerosene. The building was occupied by six families, and the staircase was the only means of escape.

Although the police have not abandoned their efforts to find out the perpetrator of these attempts at arson, they are not very sanguine of success. Mrs. Geary said that she saw a man rushing through the rear hall door, and Capt. Jordan discovered that two bourds had been removed from the fence that separates Lynch's yard from the yard of 52 Newark avenue. The woman, however, could not give any description of the person she had seen, and the suspectors of the police as to the guilty party are based entirely on conjecture. The counsel for Kearney announce that they will apply to the Supreme Count for a win of haloes across, as the only resert left them. The Suprem Countries now sitting at lost Angeles, and some time will receive it is along the low any action can be taken on the application. The Superior Court ordered a remaining fortiwith, which would nick Kearney in the House of Correction directly. He was not present when the publication of the court was remisered, and it is remained in a successful the decision and pending the decision and pending the application for a habour, he has absented himself from the city.

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Panis in Lima-Komoced Defeat of the Perp vinus at Los Angeles,

spatch was received at the Chilian Legation here this evening, duted Panama, April 10:

"Call to have the seem blockaded by any steamers of the Chilian navy. A great panie has arised the chilan navy. A great panie has ar

THE RHODE ISLAND'S PERIL. CHARLES SISSON, DRUNKARD In Collision with a Large Schooner on Long

The steamboat Rhode Island of the Providence line, which was in collision with a

schooner on Long Island Sound on Friday

night, arrived at her dock in this city last even-

ing. Her port wheel and the guards and stan-

chions forward of it show evidences of a power-

ful glancing blow.

A passenger by the Rhode Island said that the

been from the westward in the afternoon,

vecred toward nightfall to the southward and

enstward, and was accompanied by thick fog.

The schooner, the name of which was not

EXPLOSION OF GIANT POWDER,

Which Disappeared from a Wagon, Tegether with a Trusted Employee. Henry W. Shepard, President of the Ironelad Manufacturing Company at 923 Finshing avenue, Brook-lyn, sesterday afternoon drow \$1.500 from a bank in this

Kenrney's Sentence Confirmed. SAN FRANCISCO, April 17.-Judge Freelon of the Superior Court today rendered a decision on Kear-ney's appeal, confirming the judgment of the lower court. The counsel for Kearney aunounce that they will apply

Fishing for Shad and Catching a Sturgeon. Capt. Barnes was greatly surprised yesterday

on discovering, in his shad point net at South Beach, a sturgeon measuring him feet in height and weighing over 300 pounds. The great fish was with difficulty be

THE VERDICT OF A JUNY CONCERNING
A MILLIONAIRE'S SON,

pending the Incom- of \$250,000, and Fol-

lowed by Crediters Until his Friends were Dishenriened-What Mr. Hardenbergh Said Charles G. Sisson, President of the Northern Bailroad of New Jersey, died at Tenaffy. Bergen County, N. J., on Aug. 2, 1874, leaving an estate of \$1,700,000, which his will directed accident occurred off Eaton's Neck, Long Island, at about S.P. M. The wind, which had should be held in trust by his executors, John Hull Browning, now President of the Northern Railrond, the Hon, A. A. Hardenbergh, and Lansing Zabriskie. According to Mr. Sisson's directions, the income of \$250,000 has been annually paid to each of his four children, Elias H., Eva B. (wife of Mr. Browning), Charles G., and Elizabeth, with smaller amounts to other relatives. By agreement among the executors the duties devolving upon them under the will were divided so that Mr. Browning took charge

Soromer Carson to-day in the case of Mrs. Bridgel Stenhaus, whose body was found floating in the Assumping Crack at Millham, yesterday mora-Six Buildings Blown to Pieces and \$5 or 80 ing, developed the fact that she had recently re-San Francisco, April 16 .- Powder in the | was very intemperate in her habits, and was Giant Powder Works, in the district of Berkely, lin leto fall down from the effects of liquor at across the bay, exploded this afternoon, killing any moment. She was residing with a Mrs. dint Powder Works, in the district of Berkely, across the bay, exploded this afternoon, killing twelve white men and twelve or fifteen Chinamen. This is the third explosion this company has sustained, all attended with loss of life. The explosion occurred in the picking room, and all the men at work there were killed. There were about 6,000 pounds of powder in the room. All the victims were blown to atoms. A large part of the skull of a Chinaman was found, with the queue attached. There were all blown to paces, but the works and they were all blown to paces, but the workmen in them escaped, with the exception of one man in the magazine, of whom no trace has been found. Outside the works are blown to allow to paces is knowed, including the boarding house of the haids, all of which were more or less damansed, but are still standing. The explosion is supposed to be the result of carelessness. The workmen are bired by the piece, and directed to use wooden mallets in picking cartridges. In the works are habits of the dead woman were well known is not well wenting.

The verilic, although the intemperate habits of the dead woman were well known is not well and they could work faster and make more money by using iron hammers—a dangerous practice. It is supposed that some man struck his cartridge once too often and it went off, igniting the powder before him, which communicated with the adjacent packages, with the above terribio result.

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in consequence of which he will ask tongrees for two moules abstragge from his official duties. Some Vallatte Chief Justice of the Supercon Coart, would then did the Executive Chair. The fact that Solice Vallate, who is a cambatate for the Presidency times It, would be called upon to ful the Executive Chair during an important partial time to electric cannows has produced a great sense tion among the rest of the candidates.

PARIS, April 17.—Slosson publishes a letter demanding a return match with M. Vignanx on the same take as was played for in the same stake as was played for in the last match. M. Vignanx basemined \$5'-stake in addition to the stake played for, as Signar Ceriosch, the well-known fittles, thendied thin that amount as the proceed of a better the same that the Signar lied made with Mr. Slosson's agent.

Pardoned Busslan Students.

ST. PETERSBURG. April 17 .- The Czar, at the instance of Gen Menkoff, Chief of the Supreme Exocu-tive Commission, has pardomed, three sindents recently convicted at Kharkoff of complicity with the revolution six. The Golds says that the pardoms have inside adders impression on the students in the Kharkoff University.

Pennsylvania Bribery Cases.

HARRISHURG, April 16.—Subproma are being served on the witnesses in the antibod lexislative briber; cases. They will be tried on the 20th inst. Signal Office Prediction.

For the Middle Atlantic States and New Eng-land rising barometer, northwest backing to south was winds, cooler followed by warmer, clear or clearing weather.

THIS MORNING'S LATEST NEWS. In consequence of the distress to Hungary 5,000 Mag are quitted that caustry for America during the last

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Riskins Howeman has given the congregation that withdraw bounder blow M. E. Church of Red Back a dispensation to organize a new charter.

I'lls reported that he Measure Government has demodel of the Enthal State by extrational dispenMaragine Lean, a resultant State by extrational dispen-

Ing. from House either. The Peruvinns have been completely detected in Los Angeles, near Monagena, Admiral Montero is trying to escape from Tacina."

Locked up for no Offices.

Shooting his Husiness Manuger.

Richmond, Va., April 17.—This afternoon Co. John R Potham, propietor of the Salkes Liebby Spacer, was assuited by R. G. Agre, his nonneces manager, and he shot Agre in the head, making an urity some concess with the theorem and listens. Now seeing listens the results from the shot Agre in the head, making an urity some concess with the theorem provided and a visit of the state of the following from the distance of the following from the washing an urity some concess with the following from the followin